

## Message Text

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ACTION DLOS-09

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 IO-13 ISO-00 FEA-01 ACDA-07 AGRE-00

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FM AMEMBASSY LISBON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1785

INFO AMEMBASSY BONN

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/AMCONSUL PONTA DELGADA 2478

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PLOS, EFIS, PO, PFOR

SUBJECT: GOP PROMULGATES LAW SETTING 200-MILE ECONOMIC ZONE

REF: A) LISBON 1556 B) LISBON 1790 C) STATE 82611

1. BY LAW NO. 33/77 OF MAY 28, 1977, GOP FORMALLY ESTABLISHED

200-MILE MARINE ECONOMIC ZONE AND 12-MILE TERRITORIAL SEA.  
ALTHOUGH NOT SPECIFICALLY STATED, LAW APPARENTLY IS EFFECTIVE  
FROM DATE OF PUBLICATION. THE GOP IS PERMITTED TO AUTHORIZE  
FOREIGN VESSELS TRANSITIONAL PERIODS OF UP TO 12 MONTHS  
FOR COMPLIANCE.

2. COPY OF LAW BEING FORWARDED TO INR/RGE AS REQUESTED  
IN REF C.

3. COMMENT: ALTHOUGH GOP HAS PASSED LAW, IT IS AT  
PRESENT IN NO POSITION TO ENFORCE IT. AS POINTED OUT  
RECENTLY BY NAVY CHIEF OF STAFF ADMIRAL SANTA CRUZ, PORTU-  
GUESE NAVY WILL HAVE TO BE GREATLY RESTRUCTURED IN ORDER  
TO PATROL THE SOME 1.6 MILLION SQUARE KILOMETERS INCLUDED  
IN NEW ZONE.  
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## Message Attributes

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